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Dear Bernie,

I very much appreciate your note expressing appreciation for our efforts to improve the intelligence available to SHAPE. I do think we got some pretty good things started but, more important, we have our people working together and focussing more closely on what they can do for each other.

I have an analytical project going which I want your ideas on. I would like to develop a good assessment of the potential vulnerability of the Soviet conventional force structure, and the non-strategic counterpart of the emerging technologies on which our SDI program is based. People forget that President Reagan, when he made his so-called "Star Wars" speech, stressed the application of new technology in conventional as well as in the strategic sphere.

With best wishes.

Yours,

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